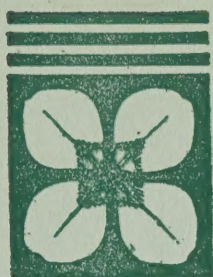


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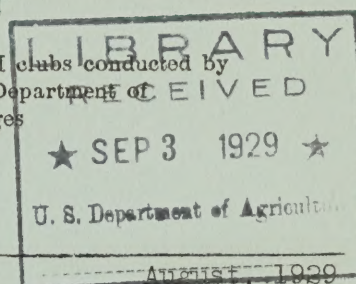


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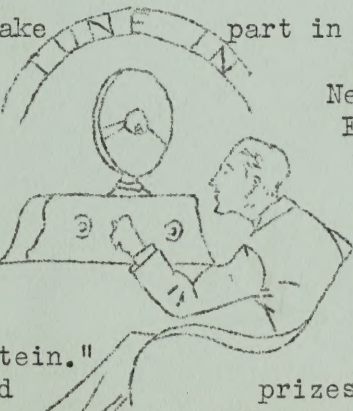
Washington, D. C.

August, 1929

SIX STATIONS IN FAR WEST JOIN NETWORK FOR MONTHLY 4-H BROADCAST

THE MONTHLY 4-H BROADCAST now goes out over a coast-to-coast network composed of 37 stations. Stations in California, Oregon, Utah, and Washington carry the program to those in the Pacific coast region.

The club members to take part in the second national 4-H Club radio program on September 7 are Anna C. Probasco, of Mercer County, WJZ, New York City, and County, North Carolina, ton, D. C. Miss Probasco of clubs in home economics club member for six years. member, she was awarded booster meeting last year speech on "Why I Like a Holstein." that a local bank has offered she has won a first prize each year. since 1925, working in the cotton, corn, and garden truck projects. He still has all of his cotton lint. He is saving it to sell at the right time to help defray expenses through college.



September 7 are Anna C. New Jersey, speaking from Edmund Aycock, of Wayne speaking from WRC, Washington for two seasons a leader work, has been a dairy Although a Guernsey club first prize at a county for the best one-minute In the four successive years prizes for better dairy records

Edmund Aycock has been a club member since 1925, working in the cotton, corn, and garden truck projects. He still has all of his cotton lint. He is saving it to sell at the right time to help defray expenses through college.

Gertrude L. Warren of the Washington extension office will speak on "4-H Club Work and the Rural Girl." I. W. Hill, field agent in club work in the Southern States, will give a brief resume of "What's Happening Among 4-H Clubs." Music will be supplied by the National Broadcasting Company's staff orchestra and soloists at the Chicago studios.

The program will last 45 minutes - 1:30 to 2:15 Eastern Standard time; 12:30 to 1:15 Central Standard time; 11:30 to 12:15 Mountain time; and 10:30 to 11:15 Pacific time. The 37 stations scheduled to carry the program are listed on the next page.

STATIONS CARRYING 4-H BROADCAST SEPTEMBER 7.

KGO, Oakland, Calif.	WJZ, New York, N. Y.
KPO, San Francisco, Calif.	WHAM, Rochester, N. Y.
KOA, Denver, Colo.	WET, Charlotte, N. C.
WRC, Washington, D. C.	WPTF, Raleigh, N. C.
WJAX, Jacksonville, Fla.	WLW, Cincinnati, Ohio.
WIOD, Miami, Fla.	WKY, Oklahoma City, Okla.
KYW, Chicago, Ill.	KVCO, Tulsa, Okla.
WOC, Davenport, Iowa.	KGW, Portland, Oreg.
WHO, Des Moines, Iowa.	KDKA, Pittsburgh, Pa.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky.	WMC, Memphis, Tenn.
WBAL, Baltimore, Md.	WSM, Nashville, Tenn.
WBZA, Boston, Mass.	WFAA, Dallas, Texas.
WBZ, Springfield, Mass.	KPRC, Houston, Texas.
WJR, Detroit, Mich.	KSL, Salt Lake City, Utah.
KSTP, St. Paul, Minn.	WRVA, Richmond, Va.
WREN, Kansas City, Mo.	KOMO, Seattle, Wash.
KWK, St. Louis, Mo.	KHQ, Spokane, Wash.
WOW, Omaha, Nebr.	WTMJ, Milwaukee, Wis.
	WEBC, Superior, Wis.

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A 4-H egg-laying contest has been carried on for seven months in Plymouth County, Mass. There was a total of 4,957 birds which laid 5,621 dozens of eggs during the period. These eggs were valued at \$3,218. The average number of eggs per bird for the seven months was 93.7.

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Elaine Massey, girls' club agent, Mississippi, tells of community cotton dress contests carried on in 14 clubs in Tallahatchie County. One hundred and seven dresses, made by the club girls, were shown. A county contest followed the community showing. Twenty-six of the best dresses were displayed at the county contest. Miss Massey says that all communities in the county were represented in these contests.

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CALENDAR

4-H Club Department,
Michigan State Fair,
Detroit, September 1-7.

4-H Club Department,
South Dakota State Fair,
Huron, September 9-13.

DAYS IN THE OPEN.

A note from G. V. Cunningham, State Boys' club agent, Georgia, carries word that groups of approximately 235 4-H club boys have come each week since July 15 and will continue to come until August 31, to Camp Wilkins. The programs of the State 4-H club camp, he says, are composed of visit studies to various departments of the agricultural college, including its laboratories, livestock barns, hog barns, poultry plant, experimental plat work, field crops, horticultural gardens, and veterinary hospital. The afternoons will be devoted to swimming, games, picture shows, camp fires, tours, vesper services, general assembly. Mr. Cunningham reports that a number of county camps are being held throughout the State. Telling about a camp attended by boys from Screven and Jenkins Counties, he reports that "they had fish a plenty every day and a program of interest along club lines that should pep them up for quite a while."

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The largest 4-H Club camp in Montana was held at Brush Lake about the middle of July. One hundred and thirty-five club members from Daniels, Roosevelt, and Sheridan Counties registered at the camp. The largest portion of the time was devoted to recreation, swimming, baseball, and games. There were sessions, however, along educational lines and demonstrations by local leaders and extension agents. The girls' work included the making of fancy vases, waste baskets, and other handicraft objects. The boys' instruction consisted of rope work and information which would be useful in carrying out the particular type of 4-H work that the majority of the boys at the camp were doing this year. Every evening there was a motion-picture show.

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"About 1,500 people attended the 4-H club picnic at the Harford County permanent camp. Nearly \$12,000 has been spent on this camp site and the county federation of 4-H clubs hopes to reduce materially the indebtedness of about \$2,000 this year," writes E. G. Jenkins, State club agent, Maryland.

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The first All-South Club Congress will be held in connection with the Mid-South Fair, Dairy Show, and National Cotton Show, at Memphis, Tenn., September 30 to October 2. The congress is being sponsored by the extension departments of Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas, and each Southern State will be permitted to send 16 official delegates---8 boys and 8 girls. Contests in poultry judging, dairy cattle judging, livestock judging, showmanship, food preservation, clothing, and nutrition will be held. There will also be educational exhibits, social entertainments, and sightseeing tours.

DAYS IN THE OPEN (Continued)

At the annual junior field days at the New York State College of Agriculture and Home Economics, Ithaca, N. Y., this year, new contests were arranged for girls in judging posters, aprons, baked foods, canned foods, underwear, and footwear.

Over 300 boys and girls were registered for the fourteenth annual boys' and girls' club week at the agricultural college at Lincoln, Nebr., for the entire week and several hundred others joined the party on one or two occasions. Classes instructed by the university faculty, combined with sightseeing trips and banquets, filled the week.

The first annual short course in Louisiana for colored 4-H club girls and boys was successfully staged at Southern University, Baton Rouge, with 48 boys and 35 girls from 12 parishes in attendance. Instruction in agricultural and home-making lines, judging contests, and recreation were features of this first annual short course which was declared to be an outstanding success.

From California comes word that 3,000 of the 9,000 club members in the State have been busy attending the 26 summer camps which are being held in the State during July and August. California has four permanent camp sites which have been developed for the exclusive use of 4-H club members.

SEVENTH ANNUAL CAMP EDWARDS "The seventh annual Camp Edwards, the State SURPASSES ALL RECORDS 4-H camp and short course held at the Rhode Island State College, from June 24 to 29, surpassed all records of previous camps in registration, interest and value of demonstrations, quality of work shown in the exhibits, training as shown in the different contests, and in practically every other point in which comparisons could be made. It was the jolliest, most interesting, and most worth-while camp yet held. Leaders and members took more responsibility than ever before and the newly organized 4-H Junior Counselors set the highest standards of service during the entire week.

The demonstrations in dramatics by Jack Stuart Knapp, of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, and the demonstrations in recreational leadership and song leadership under the direction of Miss Ella Gardner of the Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, proved to be the outstanding features of the week. These demonstrations were supplemented by demonstrations in every major agricultural or home-economics project being carried on in the State."

-----Rhode Island 4-H Clubs.

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DAYS IN THE OPEN (Continued)

In addition to the regular meetings of the 4-H extension clubs and visits to some of the member's homes for inspection of home projects, a club tour and camp was held by the members of the Ninole 4-H Boys' Club of Hawaii County, Hawaii, recently. The members visited two poultry ranches on the tour. Incubators, incubator houses, brooding houses and methods, laying houses and their labor-saving feeding devices, and purebred stock, were inspected and studied. White Leghorns, Black Minorcas, White Plymouth Rocks, and Black Jersey Giant breeds were seen on the trip. A dairy ranch was also visited on the tour, and the barn, the milk room with its appliances, the dairy cattle, and pastures were inspected. From noon on Saturday until after lunch on Sunday the club went into camp on the beach at Keakaha, where swimming, fishing, and baseball were enjoyed.

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A 400-acre farm adjoining Jackson's Mill is to be made a part of the State 4-H Club camp near Weston, W. Va. Plans include the putting up of buildings and equipment to provide for a West Virginia 4-H Fair.

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"The 4-H Club campers arriving at the Jamestown Camp this summer were greatly surprised to see the wonderful improvements which had been made since last year. The lodges and dining hall are most attractively arrayed in a coat of white trimmed with green, this carrying out the club colors. *** This makes a total of 10 lodges and a big dining hall. Fifty benches are in place out under the trees overlooking the beach and the mighty James. Even with the increase in the number of lodges the interest of the club members had increased so that two camps were held in order not to limit the attendance. *** The Jamestown 4-H Club Camp is a real institution."

----Agricultural Club Letter, Virginia.

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George L. Farley, State club leader, has written the song below for Camp Gilbert, State club camp in Massachusetts. The camp motto is "Hop-To-It."

HOP-TO-IT

On the banks of a river a little frog
sang,

"Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it."

Along came some campers and took up
the strain

"Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it."

So when you are asked, pray do not
refuse,

But jump to your task, lest your
courage you lose.

And say to yourself, "It is not as I
choose,"

"Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it, Hop-to-it."

DAYS IN THE OPEN (Continued)

Four counties in Massachusetts have held camps this season. This is an increase of two this year.

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James E. Tanner, State club agent, Mississippi, writes that 55 counties in the State have held or will hold county club encampments this summer.

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A. L. Baker, State club leader, Pennsylvania, tells about Annual Young Farmers' Week this year. There was an attendance of 700, and a full program of education, recreation, and inspiration was provided. State livestock-judging contests were held and judging teams selected for the National Dairy Show and the International Livestock Exposition. Mr. Baker says: "Young Farmers' Week is gaining continually in popularity as evidenced by the increase in attendance of 150 this year over last year's attendance."

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"Thirty county camps, two district camps, and the State camp are being held for 4-H club members in Tennessee this summer."

---- The (Tenn.) 4-H Club Leader.

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Dan Lewis, assistant State boys' club agent, sends news about South Carolina camps. He says: "For several years club members from Anderson, Greenville, Laurens, Pickens, and Oconee Counties have met at Clemson College in August for a group encampment, but with the clubsters from Abbeville, Spartanburg, Cherokee, and Union Counties joining in the camp this year, it was found necessary to schedule two sections. The first section will be held August 13-15 and will be attended by club members from the counties of Anderson, Laurens, Oconee, and Pickens; and the second section will be held August 15-17 and will be attended by clubsters from Abbeville, Greenville, Spartanburg, Cherokee, and Union Counties. Approximately 1,000 members will visit Clemson College in the two sections, and plans are under way to make this an outstanding event. Some 30 odd counties in South Carolina will hold 4-H camps during the summer."



IN THE JUNIOR LIVESTOCK WORLD

"On a tour of all demonstrations in the Jersey Calf Club of Montgomery County, Md., 17 members were visited and their breeding, care, and management practices were discussed. Sixty-seven registered Jerseys are owned by the 17 members, several individuals ranking among the best of the breed in the State," writes E. G. Jenkins, State club agent.



James E. Tanner, State club agent, Mississippi, reports that 22 Mississippi Counties have organized 4-H dairy calf clubs this year and have imported 350 production-bred heifers at prices ranging from \$100 to \$360 each. In each case, the local banks are financing the club boys.

Because their stock was not ready for sale at the time of the regular livestock show, the Denver Stockyards held a special sale for club members in Colorado this spring where 20 calves and yearlings were sold.

Much interest has been aroused in dairy 4-H club work in Rockingham County, Va., this year. A local bank stimulated this interest by offering \$500 which is to be distributed in cash prizes over a period of four years. The plan is to start the dairy club project with calves and to follow the work of the members through until they have mature cows with milk-producing records. The basis for determining the winners of prizes offered will be on the total annual score of each member's work, and a written story giving full account of his dairy club project.

Soon after this dairy project was outlined and made known to club members and parents, the total number of calves requested was 56. This number of suitable calves of proper age and at reasonable prices could not be obtained locally so the bank made it possible to go out of the State to get dairy cattle by advancing necessary loans to a purchasing committee which went to Wisconsin and returned with 41 head of high grade and purebred calves. Twenty-three of these were distributed to club members who could not get their calves locally, and the 18 others went to farmers who wanted foundation dairy stock.

The Elgin Community Baby Beef Club, Antelope County, claims the honor of being the largest baby beef club in Nebraska, with 47 members enrolled.

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IN THE JUNIOR LIVESTOCK WORLD (Continued)

Union County has the largest dairy calf club in the State of Pennsylvania, with an enrollment of 165. L. E. Craumer, county agent, reports that the clubs are organized on a community basis and are proving to be a powerful factor in improving practices in Union County's dairy industry. A county bankers' association was organized to sponsor and finance the work, all financial arrangements being direct between the club member and the county bankers' association and not with individual banks.

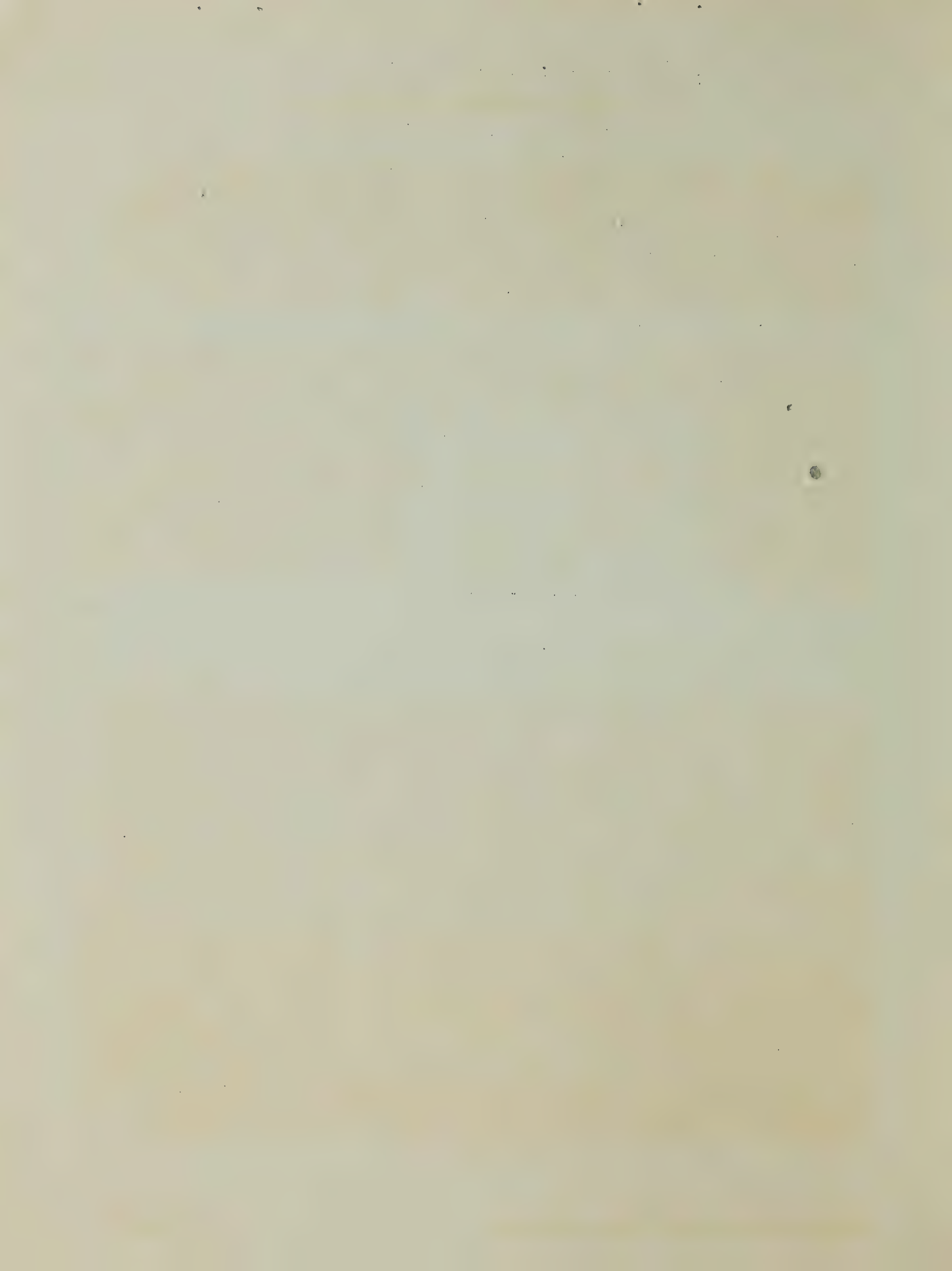
C. Baird Hammond, club boy of Monmouth County, N. J., owns a Holstein that averaged better than 2,000 pounds of milk a month during March and April. Essex Boelyn Sweet Segis, his cow, is a 6-year old and according to herd improvement records, she has averaged 12,172 pounds of milk each of the last average annual last three years turn above feed at the present animals and he this season.



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L. F. Kinney, State club leader, Rhode Island, writes about the organization of 4-H Junior Counselors established in that State. He says: "A new honor organization of older 4-H club members, who have been willing to volunteer for special service for 4-H club work in the State, has been established in Rhode Island with a charter membership of 14 to which four additional members were added by election during the recent State 4-H camp, known as Camp Edwards. For the present the members are calling themselves the 4-H Junior Counselors. Coming to Camp Edwards a day ahead of the regular delegations, the counselors had an opportunity for meetings, vespers, and camp-fire service in addition to assisting with last-minute preparations for the camp. During the week of the camp each member took a certain definite responsibility in the camp organization in charge of the handling of certain camp services which were performed by selected volunteer members of the camp, such as camp orderlies, camp guides, hosts and hostesses, and office assistants. The members selected their own chief and secretary soon after arrival. The new members were selected by the counselors themselves after careful consideration of recommendations of leaders and club staff, supplemented by examination of records on file at the State office, and by personal observation of the actions of proposed members while at the camp. The actual service of taking in the new counselors on the final evening of the camp was brief but impressive and clearly outlined to the entire assembly the objectives and standards for which the group is working."

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A PAGE FOR THE GIRLS

Esther Phillips, of Chenango County, N. Y., milked faster than any of the 17 boys and one other girl who competed in the milking contest at the Annual Junior Field Days at the New York State College of Agriculture and Home Economics, Ithaca, N. Y. A girl, Miss L. Van Sickel of Genesee County, also won the contest in judging swine. In the identification of breeds and varieties of poultry, a girl scored again, Dorothy Kutschback of Chenango County placing first. Still another girl showed her ability to compete in agricultural contests with the boys when Ann Wilcox of Chenango County took first prize in the forest-tree identification contest.



The contest consisted in naming correctly 25 forest trees located at the college of agriculture near the forestry building. But the girls didn't win the dairy-cattle judging contest, the sheep-judging contest, and the contest on the judging of cockerels and pullets. Two thousand one hundred and forty-six boys and girls from 31 counties attended these field days.

Muskingum County, Ohio, has the first, and to date the only, 4-H forestry club for girls in the State.

In the girls' clubs in Warren County, Miss., 4-H club meetings are being held at the homes of the club members. Refreshments prepared by the girl herself are a social feature of these occasions.

PUTTING THE RADIO TO WORK A. G. Kettunen, State club leader, sends in the following story about the use to which the radio has been put by a 4-H club in Michigan.

Mrs. Washtenaw County, Mich., clothing club girls music-They did not have the funds chase a phonograph and represent in a request to radio to play the pieces outlined appreciation project. At a scheduled time, this station agreed to play the proper selections, and the clothing girls received their music-appreciation lessons over the radio.



Vera Kalmbach of wanted to give her appreciation work. with which to pur-cords, so the club station WJR, Detroit, in the music-appre-

A PAGE FOR THE BOYS

The Fawn Township Sweet Corn Club of York County, Pa., is operating this year as it did in 1928. Eighteen boys each planted one acre of sweet corn this spring, and a contract was made with a local canner to purchase the sweet corn produced by the club at \$20 per ton. Prizes for members having the highest yields are also being awarded.

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Working toward further progress in his sheep club work, Thurston Willis, of Pacific County, Wash., has purchased from the State College of Washington a registered Hampshire yearling ram to head his flock of 10 grade ewes. The sire of this ram was presented to the State College of Washington a few years ago by the Prince of Wales from his Alberta ranch, and is one of the finest specimens of this breed.

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Howard Pease, Jr., of Franklin County, Maine, carried 10 projects last year and at the county contest in the fall he was declared county champion in the canning, bean, poultry management, and garden projects. He received first honors in room improvement, second honors in sweet corn, chick raising, and pig projects, and third honors in dairying. He has been a club member for six years.

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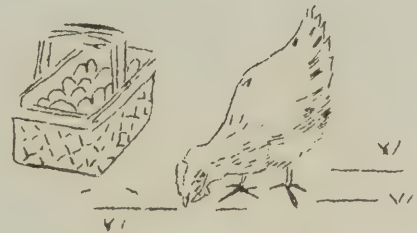
Ten boys attending the boys' short course at Gainesville, Fla., this summer gave radio talks about their club work over station WRUF.

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Eighteen Orange County (N. Y.) farm management club members made a 3-day tour to New York City recently, primarily to study at first hand the great terminal markets there and to get a better idea of how to prepare and ship produce to meet the market needs. Particular attention was given to the incoming shipments of fruit, produce, and eggs at Hudson River piers; to the preparation of meat and eggs for retail trade; and to the way that milk is received and handled. The group was conducted by Dr. M. C. Bond, instructor in marketing at the New York State College of Agriculture.

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Edward Danks, of Warren County, N. J., has one of the leading 4-H poultry flocks in the State. His 14 birds produced 25.8 eggs per bird in April and 26.6 eggs per bird in May. Edward says: "Good care, a clean house, and regular feeding are my part in making this record."



FOR THE LOCAL LEADERS

The first county local leaders' camp in the State will be held in Berkshire County, Mass., in September, reports G. L. Farley, State club leader. He also states that the third State local leaders' camp will be held at Amherst at the same time as Camp Gilbert, the State club camp, is going on. He says: "Our local leaders have requested the same subject-matter meetings as those arranged for our Camp Gilbert members."

A. L. Baker, State club leader, Pennsylvania, writes, "A special leadership-training group met at Pennsylvania State College June 17 to 21. In addition to the work of the discussion group, 14 young men got practical experience by acting as assistants in charge of various group activities for 700 younger boys and girls attending the Annual Young Farmers' Week."

"With more than 12,000 club members under their guidance, local leaders are now looking forward to a banner year of club completions as they have already met and mastered the enrollment.

"There are more new members in 4-H club work than ever before. This means that pains must be taken to see that each member is impressed with the importance of finishing his project if the work is to have any value to him.

"Members who are in club work for the first time and do not finish their work will probably not be in another year. On the other hand, the new member who takes great interest and does a good job will be back stronger than ever next year.

"The next month or two is a critical time. Give the member a little encouragement now, and he will finish the year's work with flying colors."

----South Dakota 4-H Club Doings.

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The Office of Cooperative Extension Work recently circularized the States to learn what proportion of time county agents, home demonstration agents, club agents, and specialists are giving, on the average, to boys' and girls' club work. Not all the States have yet replied, but according to the data available here from 36 States, the county agricultural agents give to club work about 25 per cent of their time; home demonstration agents, 43 per cent; club agents, 92 per cent; agricultural specialists, 16 per cent; and home-economics specialists, 20 per cent. The percentage of time for all extension workers averages 32 per cent, or about one-third of the time of all agents appears to be given to boys' and girls' club work.

ENROLLMENT FIGURES

From Nevada comes news that a 4-H club member exists in that State for every 90 inhabitants. There are 103 clubs there which are made up of 897 boys and girls. Of this number 353 are boys and 544 are girls. Of the 17 counties in the State only 4 do not at present have club work.

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H. M. Jones, State club leader, South Dakota, reports that there is an increase in club enrollment this year over last year of 2,933 members. On July 1, 1929, there were 12,055 members in the State.

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Utah has an enrollment of 4,339 club members this year. Of this number 1,060 are boys and 3,279 are girls.

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Twelve thousand one hundred and forty-nine members who are active 4-H club members is the Nebraska figure as of July 20. Between July 1 and July 20 letters were sent from the State office asking county extension agents and local leaders to weed out all members who were not actively engaged in club work at the present time and the above figure is the total after the weeding out was done. Eighteen counties and eight different projects are on the Nebraska honor roll for having larger enrollments than the goals set last spring. Clothing clubs with three years' work in them are the largest clubs with 4,831 members. Lancaster County with 812 members is in the lead among the counties of the State.

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The Manchester (Vt.) Garden Club will give prizes next summer to the 4-H club members in Bennington County who make the greatest percentage of improvement in their home yards before that time. The contest begins in September, when a committee from the garden club will score the yards. Work may be done in spring or fall or both. Yards will be scored again late next summer and awards based on improvement. Such matters as care of grass, planting of flowers and shrubs, and general tidying up will be considered. The member who has most problems may score highest, for not mere achievement, but improvement, is the basis of the score. The Garden Club members will also this fall and next spring, give roots of perennials and shrubs to 4-H club members who enter the contest, to help them in their efforts.

Xenophon of Athens, 2,284 years ago, said:

"Agriculture is an art which will enrich those who diligently practice it, provided they understand it: but if they do not understand it, it matters not how hard they may labor at it, it leaves them in poverty."

WORK BOX AND TOOL CHEST

"WHY 4-H CLUB WORK?"

Extension Bulletin 71,
New Jersey State College of
Agriculture Experiment Station,
Rutgers University,
New Brunswick, N. J.

"RED BIRD'S SURRENDER,"

(A dramatic pageant based
on a historical event
of the Winnebagos.)
Extension Service,
University of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wis.

"PORK FOR PROFIT,"

(A play in 4 scenes)
Form 131, Agricultural Extension Service,
Knoxville, Tenn.

"4-H CLUB BOYS' AND GIRLS' ACHIEVEMENTS,"

Circular 144, Extension Division,
Georgia State College of Agriculture,
Athens, Ga.

"BEACON LIGHTS IN GEORGIA BOYS' AND GIRLS' 4-H CLUB WORK,"

Circular 154, Extension Division,
Georgia State College of Agriculture,
Athens, Ga.

"THE 4-H PROFILE, 1929,"

The University 4-H Club,
University of New Hampshire,
Durham, N. H.

"HAVE BOYS AND TREES GROW UP TOGETHER,"

Special Circular, April, 1929,
Extension Service,
University of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wis.

FORESTRY

Approximately 891,000 trees were planted by 891 boys and girls who began work in 4-H forestry clubs this spring in New York. This year's enrollment is an increase of 122 over last year's number of 769. Of the 891 members in forestry work, 709 are boys and 182 are girls. These boys and girls are from 31 counties in the State.

K. K. Vining, County Agent, tells about forestry work in Kent County, Mich. He says: "In 1928 a group of Grand Rapids business men financed the purchase of 12,500 white pine and 12,500 Norway spruce seedlings, giving them to 25 boys and girls in Kent County. This furnished the incentive for the organization of the first 4-H forestry club in Kent County. Every member finished his project. A check-up in the fall showed an average stand of 87 per cent living trees, and three boys had average stands of 95 per cent. The work went so well in 1928 that the business men agreed to finance the project again this year. Ninety-eight boys and girls planted 92,375 trees. The trees were quite evenly distributed between white and red pine, and Norway spruce."



The club people in the office have been attending many events out in the States this summer. They come back here now and then just long enough to snatch a sandwich and a cup of coffee, as it were, and then they are gone again. Madge J. Reese has been away since early in July when she departed for Hawaii to confer with the territorial and county extension workers in regard to plans of work, annual report making, and community programs, and also to take part in camp programs. She will return to the mainland early in September and, before returning to the office, will visit California, Nevada, Utah, and Wyoming. Dr. Foster has stopped in once in awhile between visits to camps or short courses in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New York, Virginia, North Carolina, and New Hampshire. Doctor Hill has just returned from short courses in Virginia and North Carolina. Ray Turner was gone a month visiting Michigan, Missouri, Wisconsin, Indiana, and Kentucky. Then he was here a week when he set out again for Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Michigan. He will get back in late September. Gertrude Warren has returned from a trip to New Jersey, Kentucky, and Massachusetts. She stopped off in New York City long enough to give four lectures at Columbia University on the organization of boys' and girls' club work.

AMONG OURSELVES (Continued)

THE 4-H CLUB PROGRAM Programs which meet basic needs are essential to any worth-while enterprise. So in 4-H club work, the program offered should meet the real needs of the members and of the communities in which the members live. Moreover, it should be centered in the activities that most interest farm boys and girls, introducing them gradually to the less familiar but perhaps none the less important. It is equally essential, too, that club members take an active part in helping to outline any program to be undertaken by themselves. It is only when they feel that it is their own, that they are truly interested. Other factors that make for a successful club program are:

- A definite working relationship with the general extension and community programs conducted by the parents and neighbors.
- A program planned well in advance of the club meetings.
- Participation of each member in the program in some capacity.
- Adherence to parliamentary procedure in the business part of the program.
- Short, well-planned demonstrations.
- Scoring and judging of completed work.
- Interchange of ideas; good discussions.
- As much illustrative material as possible.
- Well-planned recreation under the direction of capable song and cheer leaders.
- Good publicity.
- Interesting variety in the activities undertaken.
- Selection of a room for the holding of each program that is attractive, comfortable, well-ventilated and, when possible, equipped with a movable club blackboard and necessary supplies.
- Assistance of outstanding men and women of integrity and accomplishment.
- Prompt beginning and closing of each program.
- Recognition of parents and neighbors when present.

--Prepared by Gertrude L. Warren.

What are the important factors which contribute toward a successful county program of 4-H club work?

Are they largely ones of personnel or of method, or both?

W. R. Ralston, Assistant State Club Leader, California, suggests that opinions of county and State leaders be obtained regarding the above questions. Mr. Ralston feels that such a discussion would be of real benefit to leaders of club work. Let's hear what your ideas are on this subject. Send in your replies to the BOYS' AND GIRLS' 4-H CLUB LEADER, Office of Cooperative Extension Work, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

ANNALS OF THE BUREAU OF THE ARMY (Continued)

THE BUREAU OF THE ARMY, which has been established by the War Department, is the central authority for the collection and dissemination of information concerning the military forces of the United States. It is the duty of the Bureau to maintain a complete and accurate record of the personnel, equipment, and activities of the Army, and to make this information available to the proper authorities for their use in the conduct of the war.

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